## GLOBAL INCOME FUND

## SEMI-ANNUAL REPORT June 30, 2003

American Stock
Exchange Symbol:


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Fellow Shareholders:
It is a pleasure to welcome our new shareholders and to report that for the six months ended June 30, 2003, the Fund had a total market return on the American Stock Exchange of $11.81 \%$ on a net asset return of $5.56 \%$.

The primary investment objective of the Fund is to provide for its shareholders a high level of income and, secondarily, capital appreciation. The Fund pursues its investment objectives by investing primarily in a global portfolio of investment grade fixed income securities. On June 30th, the Fund was approximately $89 \%$ invested in fixed income securities with an actual or deemed investment grade rating, $8 \%$ in actual or deemed investment grade preferred stocks, and the balance in money market securities. On June 30th, approximately $73 \%$ of investments were in entities located in the United States, $11 \%$ in Eurozone, eurodollar investments and the balance spread over 2 other countries.

On June 25th, the Federal Reserve Bank lowered the Federal Funds rate from $1.25 \%$ to $1.00 \%$, a clear sign of the Bank's intention to maintain an accommodative rate environment and prevent any economic disinflation. Year to date, corporate earnings have improved somewhat and investors appear to be gaining confidence in the markets; however, unemployment remains high and hiring subdued. Moreover, it is unclear whether the manufacturing sector will continue to be able to show increased productivity and cost cutting.

Against this mixed economic picture, yields on 5 and 10 year Treasuries dropped from highs of $3.17 \%$ and $4.13 \%$, respectively, in January to lows of $2.03 \%$ and $3.11 \%$, respectively, in June. In the first six months of 2003, the equity markets performed well with the DJ Industrial Average, the S\&P 500 Index and the Nasdaq Composite Index returning $7.72 \%$, $10.76 \%$, and $21.51 \%$, respectively. The LB Intermediate Bond Index had a year to date return of 10.13\%.

Looking ahead to the second half of the year, we believe the economy is poised to grow. The second quarter was much better than the first and the economy could continue to strengthen in the second half of 2003. Our conclusion at this time is that the Federal Reserve will remain on the sidelines regardless of headline news, and that a move to raise rates is unlikely through the end of the year should the Fed continue to focus on disinflation. Corporate interest rate spreads have narrowed versus Treasury securities and the low interest rates might provide cheap money for corporations when they see the need to borrow. An uptick in hiring and an increase in corporate expansion probably should occur before the markets can show sustainable improvement.

## Corporate Governance

In July 2003 the Fund's Board of Directors adopted amended and restated bylaws to enhance corporate governance and "anti-takeover" provisions, including bylaws with respect to the qualification of directors and procedural provisions with respect to the conduct of stockholder meetings, and the Board of Directors determined to be generally subject to the provisions of the Maryland Control Share Acquisition Act. Any stockholder who would like a copy of the Fund's charter or bylaws may obtain a copy from the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") by calling the SEC at (202) 942-8090 or e-mailing the SEC at publicinfo@sec.gov, or from the Fund.

## Dividend Distribution Policy Revised

The $\$ .09$ per share June quarterly dividend distribution reflected a revised managed distribution policy for the Fund. The policy is intended to provide shareholders with a relatively stable cash flow and reduce or eliminate the Fund's market price discount to its net asset value per share. Distributions of approximately $7 \%$ (compared to $10 \%$ previously) of the Fund's net asset value per share on an annual basis will be paid primarily from ordinary income and any net capital gains, with the balance representing return of capital. This policy is subject to regular review at the Board's quarterly meetings and the amount of the distribution may vary depending on the net asset value per share at the time of declaration. Although the distribution rate may be further reduced reflecting low current yields, we continue to believe shares of the Fund are a sound value and attractive for portfolios seeking total return from capital appreciation and income.

## Purchase Shares at an Attractive Discount

The Fund's current net asset value per share is $\$ 5.01$. With a recent closing on the American Stock Exchange of $\$ 4.70$, we believe this represents an important opportunity to purchase additional shares at an attractive discount from their underlying value. The Fund's Dividend Reinvestment Plan is an effective way to also add to your holding because quarterly dividend distributions are reinvested without charge at the lower of net asset value or market price, which can contribute importantly to growing your investment over time. Please call 1-800-278-4353 and an Investor Service Representative will be happy to assist you. We appreciate your support and look forward to serving your investment needs in the months and years ahead.

Sincerely,


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$\begin{gathered}\text { Marion E. Morris } \\ \text { Senior Vice President } \\ \text { Portfolio Manager }\end{gathered}$

## Schedule of Portfolio Investments - June 30, 2003 (Unaudited)

Par Value
DEBT SECURITIES (89.39\%) France (2.07\%)Market Value\$ 500,000 Socgen Real Estate LLC, 7.64\% Bonds, due 12/29/49
$\qquad$\$ 580,011
Mexico (3.71\%)
409,500 Fideicomiso Petacalco Trust, 10.16\%, due 12/23/09 ..... 479,393
500,000 United Mexican States, 8.00\% Notes, due 9/24/22 ..... 561,250
1,040,643
United States (72.58\%)
1,000,000 Altria Group Inc., 7.20\% Notes, due 2/01/07 ..... 1,090,085
500,000 American Financial Group, 7.125\% Debentures, due 12/15/07. ..... 508,883
1,000,000 Citizens Utilities Co., 7.60\% Debentures, due 6/01/06. ..... 1,134,462
500,000 Citrv 1998-A B 6.29\% Subordinated Bond, due 1/15/17 ..... 529,976
1,172,876 Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corp., 5.50\%, due 12/01/17. ..... 1,216,908
927,460 Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corp., 7.50\%, due 7/01/32. ..... 986,006
537,419 Federal National Mortgage Association, Floater, Series 2002-85 HT, due 9/25/31 ..... 541,488
891,734 Federal National Mortgage Association REMIC Pass-Through Certificates, due 1/25/32. ..... 905,683
1,022,584 Ford Motor Credit Co., 5.25\% Bonds, due 6/16/08 ..... 1,145,827
500,000 Ford Motor Credit Co., 7.375\% Notes, due 10/28/09 ..... 524,949
498,215 Freddie Mac 2611 HA 4\%, due 10/15/21 ..... 499,461
1,956,197 Government National Mortgage Association, 5.50\%, due 10/15/32 ..... 2,041,781
993,651 Government National Mortgage Association, 5.50\%, due 2/15/33. ..... 1,037,123
500,000 Monsanto Co., 7.375\% Senior Notes, due 8/15/12 ..... 597,191
500,000 PPL Energy Supply LLC, 6.40\% Senior Notes, due 11/01/11 ..... 556,159
500,000 Sears Roebuck Acceptance Corp., 6.75\% Notes, due 8/15/11 ..... 565,238
555,000 Security Capital Industrial PLD, 7.625\% Debentures, due 7/01/17 ..... 654,112
300,000 Union Carbide Corp., 6.70\% Notes, due 4/01/09. ..... 309,911
2,000,000 U.S. Treasury Note, 3\%, due 11/15/07. ..... 2,063,594
1,000,000 U.S. Treasury Inflation Index Bond, 3.375\%, due 4/15/32 ..... 1,210,938
1,000,000 U.S. Treasury Inflation Index Note, 3\%, due 7/15/12. ..... 1,102,344
500,000 Waddell \& Reed Financial, 7.50\% Notes, due 1/18/06 ..... 545,841
500,000 Weyerhaeuser Co., 7.25\% Debentures, due 7/01/13 ..... 593,067

## Schedule of Portfolio Investments - June 30, 2003 (Unaudited)

Par Value Market Value
Eurozone (11.03\%)
\$1,000,000 Bayer AG, 6\% Senior Unsubordinated, due 4/10/12 ..... \$ 1,234,095
1,000,000 Schlumberger Industries, 5.25\% Bonds, due 10/03/08 ..... 1,259,244
500,000 Vodafone Finance BV, 4.74\% Unsubordinated Bonds, due 5/27/09 ..... 600,8843,094,223
Total Debt Securities (cost: $\$ 23,655,399$ ) ..... 25,075,904
Shares PREFERRED STOCKS (7.74\%)
BAC Capital Trust II, 7.00\%136,950
5,000 BAC Capital Trust III, 7.00\% ..... 139,000
25,000 Corporate-Backed Trust Certificates, 8.20\% ..... 639,750
20,000 Disney (Walt) Company, 7.00\% ..... 548,000
10,000 Entertainment Property Trust, 9.50\% ..... 270,500
10,000 General Motors Corp., 7.25\% ..... 249,800
6,900 Wells Fargo Capital Trust V, 7.00\% ..... 188,370
Total Preferred Stocks (cost: \$2,047,500) ..... 2,172,370
Par Value SHORT TERM INVESTMENTS (2.87\%)
\$ 804,268 Repurchase Agreement with State Street Bank \& Trust, .10\%,6/30/03, due 7/01/03 (collateralized by U.S. Treasury Notes).804,268
Total Short Term Investments (cost: \$804,268). ..... 804,268
Total Investments (cost: \$26,507,167) (100\%) ..... \$28,052,542

## STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

June 30, 2003 (Unaudited)

| ASSETS: |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| Investments at market value (cost: \$26,507,167) (note 1). | \$28,052,542 |
| Interest and dividend receivable .............. | 275,761 |
| Other assets.......................................... | 2,842 |
| Total assets. | 28,331,145 |
| LIABILITIES: |  |
| Accrued expenses .................................. | 50,515 |
| Accrued management fees...................... | 15,438 |
| Total liabilities. | 65,953 |
| NET ASSETS: (applicable to 5,525,074 shares outstanding: 20,000,000 shares of $\$ .01$ par value authorized). | $\underline{\text { \$28,265,192 }}$ |
| NET ASSET VALUE PER SHARE <br> ( $\$ 28,265,192 \div 5,525,074$ shares outstanding) $\qquad$ | \$5.12 |
| At June 30, 2003, net assets consisted of: |  |
| Accumulated net realized loss on investments, foreign currencies and futures. $\qquad$ | (8,616,725) |
| Net unrealized appreciation on investments and foreign currencies. | 1,545,375 |
|  | \$28,265,192 |

Investments at market value (cost: \$26,507,167) (note 1)

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\$ 28,052,542
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Interest and dividend receivable ............... $\frac{275,761}{2,842}$
Total assets............................................ 28,331,145

## ABILITIES:

Accrued management fees15,438Total liabilities ..... 65,953
shares outstanding: 20,000,000 shares of $\$ .01$ par value authorized) ..... \$28,265,192(\$28,265,192 $\div 5,525,074$ sharesoutstanding)$\$ 5.12$Paid-in capital\$35,336,542
Accumulated net realized loss on
investments, foreign
currencies and futures ..... 1,545,375
\$28,265,192

## STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS

Six Months Ended June 30, 2003 (Unaudited)

## INVESTMENT INCOME:

Interest. ..... \$ 680,140
Dividends. ..... 91,725
Total investment income. ..... 771,865
EXPENSES:
Investment management (note 3) ..... 95,460
Professional (note 3) ..... 42,821
Registration (note 3). ..... 24,670
Directors. ..... 15,385
Printing. ..... 9,050
Custodian ..... 6,011
Transfer agent. ..... 3,439
Other ..... 4,887
Total operating expenses. ..... 201,723
Loan interest and fees (note 5) ..... 180
Total expenses. ..... 201,903
Net investment income. ..... 569,962
REALIZED AND UNREALIZED GAIN (LOSS) ON INVESTMENTS, FOREIGN CURRENCIES AND FUTURES:
Net realized loss on investments. ..... $(501,925)$
Unrealized appreciation on investments and foreign currencies during the year....... $1,459,342$Net realized and unrealized gainon investments and foreigncurrencies957,417
Net increase in net assets resulting from operations. ..... $\$ 1,527,379$

## STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN NET ASSETS

Six Months Ended June 30, 2003 (Unaudited) and Year Ended December 31, 2002

|  | Six Months Ended June 30, 2003 (Unaudited) | Year <br> Ended <br> December 31, <br> 2002 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| OPERATIONS: |  |  |
| Net investment income. | \$ 569,962 | \$ 1,538,797 |
| Net realized gain (loss) from security and foreign currency transactions ................ | $(501,925)$ | $(967,432)$ |
| Unrealized appreciation (depreciation) on investments and foreign currencies ........ | 1,459,342 | $(9,373)$ |
| Net change in net assets resulting from operations..................................... | 1,527,379 | 561,992 |
| DISTRIBUTIONS TO SHAREHOLDERS: |  |  |
| Distributions to shareholders (\$0.20 and \$0.28 per share, respectively) ................ | $(1,097,455)$ | $(1,538,797)$ |
| Tax return of capital to shareholders (\$0.00 and \$0.22 per share, respectively) ...... | - | $(1,158,289)$ |
| CAPITAL SHARE TRANSACTIONS: |  |  |
| Increase in net assets resulting from reinvestment of distributions (50,651 and 125,231 shares, respectively) (note 6). | 246,758 | 614,055 |
| Total change in net assets ................................................................ | 676,682 | $(1,521,039)$ |
| NET ASSETS: |  |  |
| Beginning of period ...................................................................................... | 27,588,510 | 29,109,549 |
| End of period ............................................................................................... | \$28,265,192 | \$27,588,510 |

## Notes to Financial Statements (Unaudited)

(1) Global Income Fund, Inc., a Maryland corporation registered under the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended, is a non-diversified, closed-end management investment company, whose shares are listed on the American Stock Exchange. The primary objective of the Fund is a high level of income and secondarily, capital appreciation. The Fund seeks to achieve its investment objectives by investing primarily in foreign and domestic fixed income securities. The Fund is subject to the risk of price fluctuations of the securities held in its portfolio which is generally a function of the underlying credit ratings of an issuer, the duration and yield of its securities, and general economic and interest rate conditions. The following is a summary of significant accounting policies consistently followed by the Fund in the preparation of its financial statements. With respect to security valuation, securities traded on a national securities exchange or the Nasdaq National Market System ("NMS") are valued at the last reported sales price on the day the valuations are made. Such securities that are not traded on a particular day and securities traded in the over-the-counter market that are not on NMS are valued at the mean between the current bid and asked prices. Certain of the securities in which the Fund invests are priced through pricing services which may utilize a matrix pricing system which takes into consideration factors such as yields, prices, maturities, call features and ratings on comparable securities. Bonds may be valued according to prices quoted by a dealer in bonds which offers pricing services. Debt obligations with remaining maturities of 60 days or less are valued at cost adjusted for amortization of premiums and accretion of discounts. Securities of foreign issuers denominated in foreign currencies are translated into U.S. dollars at prevailing exchange rates. Forward contracts are marked to market and the change in market value is recorded by the Fund as an unrealized gain or loss. When a contract is closed, the Fund records a realized gain or loss equal to the difference between the value of the contract at the time it was opened and the value at the time it was closed. The Fund could be exposed to risk if the counterparties are unable to meet the terms of the contracts or if the value of the currency changes unfavorably. Investment transactions are accounted for on the trade date (the date the order to buy or sell is executed). Interest income is recorded on the accrual basis. Discounts and premiums on securities purchased are amortized over the life of the respective securities. Dividends and distributions to shareholders are recorded on the ex-dividend date. In preparing financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, management makes estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements, as well as the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.
(2) The Fund intends to comply with the requirements of the Internal Revenue Code applicable to regulated investment companies and to distribute substantially all of its taxable investment income and net capital gains, if any, after utilization of any capital loss carryforward, to its shareholders and therefore no Federal income tax provision is required. At December 31, 2002, the Fund had an unused capital loss carryforward of approximately $\$ 8,361,200$ of which $\$ 1,420,000$ expires in 2004, $\$ 214,000$ in 2006, $\$ 3,977,000$ in 2007, $\$ 1,381,000$ in 2008 and $\$ 1,369,200$ in 2010. Based on Federal income tax cost of $\$ 27,231,658$, gross unrealized appreciation and gross unrealized depreciation were \$680,286 and $\$ 594,253$, respectively, at December 31, 2002. Distributions paid to shareholders during the year ended December 31, 2002 differ from net investment income and net gains (losses) from security, foreign currency, and futures transactions as determined for financial reporting purposes. These distributions are shown under "Distributions to Shareholders" in the Statements of Changes in Net Assets.
(3) The Fund retains CEF Advisers, Inc. as its Investment Manager. Under the terms of the Investment Management Agreement, the Investment Manager receives a management fee, payable monthly, based on the average weekly net assets of the Fund at the annual rate of $7 / 10$ of $1 \%$ of the first $\$ 250$ million, $5 / 8$ of $1 \%$ from $\$ 250$ million to $\$ 500$ million, and $1 / 2$ of $1 \%$ over $\$ 500$ million. This fee is calculated by determining the average of net assets on each Friday of a month and applying the applicable rate to such average for the number of days in the month. Certain officers and directors of the Fund are officers and directors of the Investment Manager. The Fund reimbursed the Investment Manager \$25,606 for providing certain administrative and accounting services at cost for the six months ended June 30, 2003.
(4) The Fund has an arrangement with its custodian and transfer agent whereby interest earned on uninvested cash balances was used to offset a portion of the Fund's expenses. Purchases and sales of securities other than short term notes aggregated $\$ 9,292,593$ and $\$ 10,446,423$, respectively, for the six months ended June 30, 2003. A forward currency contract is an obligation to purchase or sell a specific currency for an agreed-upon price at a future date. The Fund could be exposed to risk if counterparties to the contracts are unable to meet the terms of their contracts. The Fund had no forward currency contracts outstanding at June 30, 2003.
(5) The Fund may borrow through a committed bank line of credit. At June 30, 2003, there was no balance outstanding and the interest rate was equal to the Federal Reserve Rate plus 1.00 percentage point. For the six months ended June 30, 2003, the weighted average interest rate was $2.04 \%$ based on the balances outstanding during the period and the weighted average amount outstanding was \$537,090.
(6) The tax character of distributions paid to shareholders for the six months ended June 30, 2003 and the year ended December 31, 2002 was follows:

|  | $\begin{gathered} \text { June 30, } \\ 2003 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { December } 31 \\ \quad 2002 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Distributions paid from: |  |  |
| Ordinary income | \$1,097,455 | \$1,538,797 |
| Return of capital | - | 1,158,289 |
|  | \$1,097,455 | \$2,697,086 |

A reclassification of ordinary income and return of capital is likely to occur for the year ended December 31, 2003, although the exact amount is not estimated at June 30, 2003.
(7) Regarding concentration of credit risk, investing in securities of foreign issuers involves special risks which include changes in foreign exchange rates and the possibility of future adverse political and economic developments which could adversely affect the value of such securities. Moreover, securities of many foreign issuers and in foreign markets may be less liquid and their prices more volatile than those of U.S. issuers and markets.

## FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

|  | $\begin{gathered} \text { June 30, } \\ 2003 \\ \text { (Unaudited) } \end{gathered}$ | Years Ended December 31, <br> 2002 <br> 2001 |  |  | Six Months Ended December 1999 | Years Ended June 30, <br> $1999 \quad 1998$ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| PER SHARE DATA* |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Net asset value at beginning of period | \$5.04 | \$5.44 | \$5.72 | \$5.77 | \$5.99 | \$6.93 | \$8.43 |
| Income from investment operations: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Net investment income | . 10 | . 28 | . 32 | . 42 | . 23 | . 55 | . 52 |
| Net realized and unrealized gain (loss) on investments | . 18 | (.18) | (.04) | . 11 | (.15) | (.81) | (1.18) |
| Total from investment operations | . 28 | . 10 | . 28 | . 53 | . 08 | (.26) | (.66) |
| Less distributions: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Distributions to shareholders | (.20) | (.28) | (.36) | (.42) | (.23) | (.55) | (.52) |
| Tax return of capital to shareholders | - | (.22) | (.20) | (.16) | (.07) | (.13) | (.32) |
| Total distributions | (.20) | (.50) | (.56) | (.58) | (.30) | (.68) | (.84) |
| Net asset value at end of period | \$5.12 | \$5.04 | \$5.44 | \$5.72 | \$5.77 | \$5.99 | \$6.93 |
| Per share market value at end of period | \$4.95 | \$4.60 | \$4.91 | \$4.69 | \$4.44 | \$5.19 | \$6.44 |
| TOTAL RETURN ON NET ASSET VALUE BASIS (a) | 5.56\% | 0.04\% | 2.33\% | 9.05\% | 2.52\% | (2.23)\% | (8.44)\% |
| TOTAL RETURN ON MARKET VALUE BASIS (a) | 11.81\% | 3.60\% | 15.94\% | 19.75\% | (8.96) $\%$ | (8.85) \% | (15.65) $\%$ |
| RATIOS/SUPPLEMENTAL DATA |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Net assets at end of period (000's omitted) .......... | \$28,265 | \$27,589 | \$29,110 | \$29,783 | \$29,060 | \$29,600 | \$33,024 |
| Ratio of expenses before loan interest, commitment fees and nonrecurring expenses ..... | 1.46\%** | 1.44\% | 1.72\% | 1.38\% | 1.48\%** | 1.46\% | 1.58\% |
| Ratio of total expenses to average net assets (b). | 1.46\%** | 1.44\% | 1.73\% | 2.69\% | 2.26\%** | * 2.45\% | 3.52\% |
| Ratio of net investment income to average net assets $\qquad$ | 4.10\%** | 5.35\% | 5.94\% | 8.31\% | 9.21\%** | * 8.95\% | 8.53\% |
| Portfolio turnover rate | 35\% | 162\% | 160\% | 259\% | 115\% | 183\% | 328\% |

* Per share income and operating expenses and net realized and unrealized gain (loss) on investments have been computed using the average number of shares outstanding. These computations had no effect on net asset value per share.
** Annualized.
(a) Total return on market value basis is calculated assuming a purchase of common stock on the opening of the first day and a sale on the closing of the last day of each period reported. Dividends and distributions, if any, are assumed for purposes of this calculation, to be reinvested at prices obtained under the Fund's dividend reinvestment plan. Generally, total return on net asset value basis will be higher than total return on market value basis in periods where there is an increase in the discount or a decrease in the premium of the market value to the net asset value from the beginning to the end of such periods. Conversely, total return on net asset value basis will be lower than total return on market value basis in periods where there is a decrease in the discount or an increase in the premium of the market value to the net asset value from the beginning to the end of such periods. Total return calculated for a period of less than one year is not annualized. The calculation does not reflect brokerage commissions, if any.
(b) Ratio after custodian credits was $2.66 \%, 2.24 \% *$, $2.43 \%$ and $3.42 \%$ for the years ended December 31, 2001, and 2000, the six months ended December 31, 1999 and the years ended June 30, 1999 and 1998, respectively. There were no custodian credits for the period ended June 30, 2003 and for the year ended December 31, 2002.


## HISTORICAL DISTRIBUTION SUMMARY

| Period |  | Short and <br> Investment <br> Income |  | Term <br> Capital <br> Gains | Return <br> of <br> Capital |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |

(a) A reclassification of ordinary income and return of capital is likely to occur for the year ended December 31, 2003, although the exact amount is not estimated at June 30, 2003.

## MANAGED DISTRIBUTION

The Board's policy is to provide investors with a stable quarterly distribution out of current income, supplemented by realized capital gains, and to the extent necessary, paid-in capital. The Fund is subject to U.S. corporate, tax and securities laws. Under U.S. tax accounting rules, the amount of distributable net income is determined on an annual basis and is dependent on the aggregate gains and losses realized by the Fund, and, to a lesser extent, the actual exchange rate between the U.S. dollar and the currencies in which Fund assets are denominated, during the fiscal year. Therefore, the exact amount of distributable income can only be determined as of the end of the Fund's fiscal year, December 31. However, under the U.S. Investment Company Act of 1940, the Fund is required to indicate the source of each distribution to shareholders. The Fund estimates that distributions for the fiscal year commencing January 1, 2003, including the distribution paid quarterly, are comprised approximately half of net investment income and the balance from paid-in capital. This estimated distribution composition may vary from quarter to quarter because it may be materially impacted by future realized gains and losses on securities and fluctuations in the value of currencies in which Fund assets are denominated. In January 2004, a Form 1099 DIV will be sent to shareholders, which will state the amount and composition of distributions and provide information with respect to their appropriate tax treatment.

## DIVIDEND REINVESTMENT PLAN

The Fund has adopted a Dividend Reinvestment Plan (the "Plan"). Under the Plan, each dividend and capital gain distribution, if any, declared by the Fund on outstanding shares will, unless elected otherwise by each shareholder by notifying the Fund in writing at any time prior to the record date for a particular dividend or distribution, be paid on the payment date fixed by the Board of Directors or a committee thereof in additional shares. If the Market Price (as defined below) per share is equal to or exceeds the net asset value per share at the time shares are valued for the purpose of determining the number of shares equivalent to the cash dividend or capital gain distribution (the "Valuation Date"), participants will be issued additional shares equal to the amount of such dividend divided by the Fund's net asset value per share. If the Market Price per share is less than such net asset value on the Valuation Date, participants will be issued additional shares equal to the amount of such dividend divided by the Market Price. The Valuation Date is the day before the dividend or distribution payment date or, if that day is not an American Stock Exchange trading day, the next trading day. For all purposes of the Plan: (a) the Market Price of the shares on a particular date shall be the average closing market price on the five trading days the shares traded ex-dividend on the Exchange prior to such date or, if no sale occurred on any of these days, then the mean between the closing bid and asked quotations for the shares on the Exchange on such day, and (b) net asset value per share on a particular date shall be as determined by or on behalf of the Fund.

## PRIVACY POLICY

Global Income Fund, Inc. recognizes the importance of protecting the personal and financial information of its shareholders. We consider each shareholder's personal information to be private and confidential. This describes the practices followed by us to protect our shareholders' privacy. We may obtain information about you from the following sources: (1) information we receive from you on forms and other information you provide to us whether in writing, by telephone, electronically or by any other means; (2) information regarding your transactions with us, our corporate affiliates, or others. We do not sell shareholder personal information to third parties. We will collect and use shareholder personal information only to service shareholder accounts. This information may be used by us in connection with providing services or financial products requested by shareholders. We will not disclose shareholder personal information to any nonaffiliated third party except as permitted by law. We take steps to safeguard shareholder information. We restrict access to nonpublic personal information about you to those employees and service providers who need to know that information to provide products or services to you. With our service providers we maintain physical, electronic, and procedural safeguards to guard your nonpublic personal information. Even if you are no longer a shareholder, our Privacy Policy will continue to apply to you. We reserve the right to modify, remove or add portions of this Privacy Policy at any time.

This report, including the financial statements herein, is transmitted to the shareholders of the Fund for their information. The financial information included herein is taken from the records of the Fund. This is not a prospectus, circular or representation intended for use in the purchase of shares of the Fund or any securities mentioned in this report.

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## STOCK DATA

| Price (6/30/03) | \$4.95 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Net Asset Value (6/30/03) | \$5.12 |
| Discount | 3.3\% |

American Stock Exchange Trading Symbol: GIF. Newspaper exchange listings appear under an abbreviation, such as: Glinc

## 2003 DISTRIBUTION PAYMENT DATES

| Declaration | Record | Payment |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| March 3 | March 17 | March 31 |
| June 2 | June 16 | June 30 |
| September 5 | September 16 | September 30 |
| December 3 | December 17 | December 31 |

Investment Manager
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